

CLERK: 27 ayes, 2 nays.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The Chambers motion is adopted.

CLERK: Mr. President, that is all I have.

(President Whelan presiding)

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes Senator Marvel.

SENATOR MARVEL: I wish to make this announcement. The door is closing on interim resolutions. We have to get these referred by this afternoon. We have to get them in the Journal. So if there are no more then this is going to end the processing of interim resolutions. I wanted to give you this last announcement. They have to be in so we can get them in the Journal yet this evening, which means we have to circulate them individually and get them referred.

CLERK: Mr. President, there will be inserted in the Journal a communication to the Secretary of State dealing with the line-item veto override of LB 549, together with the certificate from the President of the Legislature.

SENATOR WARNER: Mr. President, Vince, was that 549?

CLERK: Yes.

SENATOR WARNER: I'd ask unanimous consent to hold up the matter for an hour and a half.

CLERK: Okay. For how long?

SENATOR WARNER: For an hour and a half.

CLERK: We'll just hold it. I thought you were through acting on it. That letter, Mr. President, will not be inserted in the Journal. That is all I have, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes the Speaker, Senator Luedtke.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Mr. President, members of the Legislature. Before we.... We must wait for 532 to come back. Then we will probably stand at ease. I would like to announce something preliminary to next year. I have had several members of the Legislature question as to, when we come back next January, what will be the effect of the priority bills as we had them. Will there be any precedence given to holding those priority or preferred positions for discussion off of General File. I see no reason, unless one of you changes your mind as to your favorite...your priority bill next year, why we shouldn't do this. These are the bills that you considered to be your priority bills. If they were this year they certainly, probably, will be next January. If you want to change your mind, at that time, you can. So just for your information the Speaker intends to put on the agenda, at the beginning of the year off of General File, a preferred, priority list, the same preferred, priority list we have now, unless you want to change your position or your bill at that time, or your position on your bill at that time. So this will ensure that those of you who were going to try to get your bills up late in this session will at least get them up